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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

PROCESS FOR PREPARING FLUOROHALOGENETHERS

By (Inventors):

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26 pages of Specification / Claims 1 - 11 / Abstract are attached.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

An assignment of the invention to SOLVAY SOLEXIS S.p.A is attached, along with Form PTO-

A Preliminary Amendment is attached.

Priority of Italian Application No. MI2003 A 000150; filed January 30, 2003 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

XXA certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

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